

## General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on General Law

Introduced by: (GL)

## AN ACT PROHIBITING CERTAIN CREDIT CARD, CHARGE CARD OR DEBIT CARD CONSUMER BILLING PRACTICES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2007) A provider of consumer
- 2 services, including, but not limited to, the provider of an exercise or
- 3 health club membership, shall not make or submit any charge to a
- 4 consumer's credit card, charge card or debit card account for future
- 5 services after such provider has been notified in writing by the
- 6 consumer of the consumer's intention to terminate such provider's
- 7 services.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October</i> 1, 2007	New section

## Statement of Purpose:

To prevent unauthorized billing of consumers.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]